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**REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Address to:
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 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Application Number: 10/028,419	Confirmation Number: 3557
Filing Date: December 21, 2001	
First Named Inventor: VANNIASINKAM, Joseph	
Group Art Unit: 2877	
Examiner: KIANNI, Kaveh C.	
Attorney Docket Number: 9136.0007-00	
Attorney Customer Number: 22,852	

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, application must request non-entry of such amendment.

- a. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

- i. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
 ii. Other _____

- b. Enclosed:

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| i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply | iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement |
| ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) | iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

2. Miscellaneous

- a. Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)
 b. Other _____

3. Fees

- a. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

- i. \$395.00 small entity RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
 ii. Petition for extension of time for (2 Months) \$225.00 small entity fee.
 iii. Other _____

- b. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$620.00 to deposit account no. 06-0916.
 c. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in the filing fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Signature of Applicant, Attorney, or Agent Required

Name: Gary J. Edwards

Reg. No.: 41,008

Signature:

Date: May 2, 2005

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